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RESOLUTION No. _____**

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Whereas, Current law provides for the statewide election of delegates to vote for President and Vice President in the Electoral College;

Whereas, Each political party selects its delegation in accordance with statutory procedures established by the party;

Whereas, Under current law, the Electoral College can cause the votes of the citizens of one state to weigh more heavily than the votes of the citizens of other states;

Whereas, The President and Vice President of the United States must be chosen by citizen voters and each vote should be counted equally, reflecting the method used to fill every elective office in our country;

Whereas, In a democracy, people must have faith in the system that elects their highest officials and know that each vote counts equally; and

Whereas, Critics of the Electoral College have long felt that it is an archaic and undemocratic system that can prevent the will of a majority of the people from being heard: Therefore,



*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the Senate concurring:*

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly urges Congress to
- 2 adopt a resolution to amend the United State Constitution to abolish the
- 3 Electoral College.
- 4 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 5 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the Indiana
- 6 Congressional delegation.

